

▼ 1st Line Acute Headache Treatment Protocol

► IV Access

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☒ IV Access/NS Flush Panel/Pain Control for Venipuncture

☒ IV Access

☒ Place IV

STAT, ONCE, today at 1148, For 1 occurrence

☒ Remove peripheral IV if D/C to home

Routine, ONCE, today at 1148, For 1 occurrence

☒ NS Flush Panel

☒ sodium chloride (NS) 0.9 % lock flush 0.5-10 mL

0.5-10 mL, Intravenous, AS DIRECTED, see PRN comment, before and after fluids, medications, blood and lab draws, Starting today at 1147, For 90 days
Flush volume based on line type and size. Refer to P&T Policy II-111 for recommended volumes.

☒ sodium chloride (NS) 0.9 % 250 mL flush for medications

Intravenous, AS DIRECTED, medication flush, Starting today at 1147, For 90 days

▼ Standard Medications

Use these three treatments concurrently for best results.

☒ sodium chloride (NS) 0.9 % IV bolus infusion 262 mL

262 mL (20 mL/kg \times 13.1 kg), Intravenous, Administer over 60 Minutes, ONCE, today at 1148, For 1 dose

☒ ketorolac (TORADOL) 15 MG/ML injection 6.4 mg

6.4 mg (rounded from 6.55 mg = 0.5 mg/kg \times 13.1 kg), Intravenous, ONCE, today at 1148, For 1 dose
If giving IV, may be given IV Push per policy V-131.

☒ prochlorperazine (COMPAZINE) 1.97 mg in sodium chloride (NS) 0.9 % 1.97 mL

1.97 mg (rounded from 1.965 mg = 0.15 mg/kg \times 13.1 kg), Intravenous, at 3.9 mL/hr, Administer over 30 Minutes, ONCE, today at 1148, For 1 dose
EXTRAVASATION INJURY RISK. Protect from light

▼ Additional Medications based on Special Circumstances/Allergies

Routine use of diphenhydramine with antidopaminergic agent (prochlorperazine, metoclopramide) is NOT recommended due to worse outcomes. Use diphenhydramine to treat adverse effects Only if they occur.

☐ metoclopramide (REGLAN) intermittent infusion

0.25 mg/kg, Intravenous, Administer over 15 Minutes, ONCE

☐ diphenhydrAMINE (BENADRYL) injection

1 mg/kg, Intravenous, ONCE AS NEEDED, see PRN comment, for agitation or akathisia

☐ diphenhydrAMINE (BENADRYL) tablet

1 mg/kg, Oral, ONCE AS NEEDED, see PRN comment, as needed for agitation or akathisia

▼ 2nd Line Acute Headache Treatment Protocol

Use Valproate **OR** DHE. Do not use both together

Phase of Care Providers Pharmacy

Place new orders or order sets

New

Standard

Next

Orders from Order Sets

ED - Headache

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Place IV

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Repeat Pain Assessment 30 Minutes after Medicine

STAT, ONCE, First occurrence today at 1148, Repeat pain assessment 30 minutes post med administration.

HR/RR Monitor

STAT, ONCE, First occurrence today at 1148

Vitals (TPR W/BP)

STAT, Q1H, First occurrence today at 1148, for 3 occurrences